

# Exhibit E

**From:** [Joshua Mello](#)  
**To:** [Julia Benevides](#)  
**Cc:** [Marc DeSisto](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Mello vs Arruda Case Nos.: 1:2023-cv-00479 & 1:2023-cv-00480  
**Date:** Saturday, December 14, 2024 2:30:45 PM  
**Attachments:** [Image.png](#)

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Good Afternoon Julia,

There are several additional questions that you did not address including that we would like to see the original. There are inconsistencies in the document in which I stated in the "Good Faith Letter" that bring into question if it has been altered, edited or doctored that you just blatantly ignored. The metadata shows it was created and produced on a Konica Minolta bizhub C458 on November 18, 2024. Does your law office have that kind of copier/printer/scanner in which you created the PDF? Then you have the paper originals from the Cranston Police Department that you scanned at your law office in which we would like to see?

Additionally this is what some of the metadata reads and or indicates in the list below.

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4. This is some of the raw metadata we collected.

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Please readdress the good faith letter and this email and answer all questions presented.

Best,  
Rachel

On Sat, Dec 14, 2024 at 1:36 PM Julia Benevides <[Julia@desistolaw.com](mailto:Julia@desistolaw.com)> wrote:

Good Afternoon Rachel,

To respond to your email regarding the "metadata" you accessed and referenced in your "Good Faith Letter," the document that you're referring to was received by my office on November 18, 2024, and was bates stamped to be produced as part of Defendants' Third Supplemental Response to Plaintiffs' RFP on November 25, 2024.

Best,  
Julia

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Julia,  
Please see the "Good Faith Letter" attached. I also included the document in question.

Be Well,  
Rachel

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